

The motion of Mr. London prevailed, and the House, accordingly, at 4:55 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 10:00 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following committees have filed favorable reports on the following bills and resolutions:

State Affairs: House Bills Nos. 676, 821 and 623; House Concurrent Resolutions Nos. 53 and 52; Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6.

Revenue and Taxation: House Bill No. 456.

Common Carriers: House Bill No. 53.

The Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic filed an adverse report on House Bill No. 839.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 22, 1939.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 368, "An Act creating a Special Road Law for Robertson County, Texas, providing that said County may fund or refund the indebtedness outstanding against its Road and Bridge Fund as of January 1, 1939, setting forth the method of operation; validating the indebtedness proposed to be funded or refunded; validating all acts and proceedings heretofore had by the Commissioners Court of said County, and officers thereof, in respect to the funding or refunding of said indebtedness; providing this law shall be cumulative of General Laws on the subject of roads and bridges and General Laws on funding or refunding bonds, not in conflict herewith; enacting provisions incident and relating to the subject and purpose of this Act; repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HAMILTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, March 22, 1939.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 62, Recalling House Bill No. 379.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HAMILTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, March 22, 1939.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 64, Naming Miss Eugenia Morse official Duchess of the Legislature in the Court of King Cotton.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HAMILTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, March 22, 1939.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 63, Expressing sympathy to the family of J. J. Olsen.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HAMILTON, Chairman.

SENT TO THE GOVERNOR

March 22, 1939

House Bill No. 368.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 62.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 63.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 64.

FORTY-SECOND DAY

(Thursday, March 23, 1939)

The House met at 10:00 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Morse.

The roll of the House was called, and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker
Allen
Allison
Alsup
Anderson

Bailey
Baker
of Fort Bend
Baker of Grayson
Bell

Blankenship	Johnson of Ellis
Bond	Johnson of Tarrant
Boyd	Kennedy
Boyer	Kern
Bradbury	Kerr
Bradford	Kersey
Bray	Kinard
Bridgers	King
Broadfoot	Langdon
Brown of Cherokee	Lehman
Brown	Leonard
of Nacogdoches	Leyendecker
Bundy	Little
Burkett	Lock
Burney	Loggins
Cauthorn	London
Celaya	Mays
Chambers	McAlister
Clark	McDaniel
Cleveland	McDonald
Cockrell	McFarland
Coleman	McMurry
Colquitt	McNamara
Colson, Mrs.	Mohrmann
Cornett	Monkhouse
Corry	Montgomery
Crossley	Morris
Daniel	Newell
Davis of Jasper	Nicholson
Davis of Upshur	Oliver
Dean	Pace
Derden	Petsch
Dickson	Pevehouse
Dickson	Piner
Donaghey	Pope
Dwyer	Ragsdale
Faulkner	Reader of Bexar
Felty	Reader of Erath
Ferguson	Reaves
Fielden	Reed
Fuchs	Rhodes
Galbreath	Riviere
Gilmer	Roach
Goodman	Roberts
Gordon, Mrs.	Robinson
Hale	Russell
Hamilton	Schuenemann
Hankamer	Segrist
Hardeman	Shell
Hardin	Skiles
Harp	Smith of Frio
Harper	Smith of Hopkins
Harrell of Bastrop	Smith
Harrell of Lamar	of Matagorda
Harris	Spencer
Hartzog	Stinson
Heflin	Stoll
Holland	Talbert
Howard	Tarwater
Howington	Taylor
Hull	Tennant
Hunt	Thornberry
Isaacks	Thornton

Turner	Westbrook
Vale	White
Vint	Wilson
Voigt	Winfree
Waggoner	Wood
Weldon	Worley
Wells	Wright

Absent—Excused

Dowell

Keith

A quorum was announced present.

Prayer was offered by Rev. George W. Coltrin, Chaplain, as follows:

"Lord, of Thine infinite wisdom grant us a deep and worthy insight all our tasks, and vision and courage for all our undertakings. May the words of our mouths and the meditations of our hearts be acceptable unto Thee, O, Lord, our God and our redeemer. In Jesus' name. Amen."

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following Member was granted leave of absence on account of important business:

Mr. Keith for today, on motion of Mr. Celaya.

The following Member was granted leave of absence on account of illness:

Mr. Dowell for today on motion of Mr. Morris.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

Mr. Smith of Frio asked unanimous consent, to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 900.

There was no objection offered.

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Smith of Frio, Mr. Harde-
man, Mr. Burney, Mr. Monkhouse, Mr.
Cauthorn and Mr. Gilmer:

H. B. No. 900, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to amend Articles 6890 and
6898 of the Revised Civil Statutes of
Texas of 1925, so as to require every
person having horses, mules, cattle,
hogs, sheeps, goats or turkeys to brand
and/or earmark the same and to reg-
ister each brand or earmark with the
county clerk of the county where such
horses, mules, cattle, hogs, sheep,
goats or turkeys shall be, and in cer-
tain other counties, on or before Jan-
uary 1, 1940, and every 20 years
thereafter; requiring this Act to be

published in each county of this State; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Stock Raising.

Mr. Kersey asked unanimous consent, to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 901.

There was no objection offered.

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Kersey:

H. B. No. 901, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the office of District Attorney in those counties having a judicial district composed of three counties and having no District Attorney, and where said Counties composing said district have an aggregate population of not less than 58,000, and not more than 58,070 according to the last Federal Census; and where one of the said Counties has a population of not less than 19,170 and not more than 19,180, and where another of said Counties composing said district has a population of not less than 20,120 and not more than 20,150, and where another county of said district has a population of not less than 18,750 and not more than 18,780 according to the last Federal Census; providing for the appointment of the first District Attorney under this Act; providing that thereafter a District Attorney shall be regularly elected for such district; providing for the qualifications and oath of said officer; providing for the duties and compensation of such officer, and prescribing such duties, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

Mr. Shell asked unanimous consent, to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 902.

There was no objection offered.

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Shell and Mr. Felty:

H. B. No. 902, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 9, Article 4, House Bill No. 8, Act of the Third Called Session of the Forty-fourth

Legislature, so as to levy a tax on chattel mortgages, deeds of trust, mechanic's lien contracts, vendor's lien, conditional sales contracts and all other instruments of a similar nature which are filed or recorded in the office of the County Clerk; exempting renewals and extensions; providing that supplemental instruments filed for the purpose of correcting or perfecting or for purpose of additional security shall not be subject to the tax, and providing that where several instruments are filed securing the same indebtedness that only one of such instruments shall be subject to the tax; providing that second mortgages shall not be exempt, providing that the County Clerk shall certify on copies that the tax has been paid on the original instrument and fixing a fee therefor; providing a method for the clerk to determine the amount secured by such mortgage or other instrument; and providing that no instrument shall be released or discharged of record nor assignment or agreement extending such mortgage shall be recorded nor any judgment or final order in any action or proceeding for foreclosure of any lien subject to the taxes imposed by this Act shall be made or had unless the tax imposed by this Act shall have been paid; providing for the taxation of all U. S. Government instrumentalities which Congress of the U. S. has permitted to be taxed; providing a method for payment of tax by affixing stamps to such instruments; providing for the printing of stamps by the State Treasurer, consigning of such stamps to the County Clerks of the State of Texas, making them liable under their official bonds for remitting funds received from sale of stamps; providing for a commission to be allowed the Clerks as fees of office for sale of stamps; providing for the remittance by the County Clerks to the State Treasurer of funds received from sale of stamps; providing that the State Treasurer shall be responsible for stamps under his official bond; providing for expenses of printing stamps; mailing same to County Clerks and other expenses be paid out of funds received under this Act by the State Treasurer; allocating the funds received under this Act; providing for a saving clause and providing for an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Mr. White asked unanimous consent, to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 903.

There was no objection offered.

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. White, Mr. Dickison, Mr. Wells and Mr. Reader of Bexar:

H. B. No. 903, A bill to be entitled "An Act to better safeguard the health of the people of the State of Texas by making it unlawful to serve food in improperly cleaned or unsterilized dishes or utensils; providing rules for cleaning and sterilizing dishes or utensils; prohibiting the use of cracked or broken dishes and utensils, and unlaundered napkins and unprotected napkins, straws, and other articles commonly used in eating and drinking; prohibiting the use of unsterilized or broken utensils in factories; providing penalties; repealing Article 700-a, Title 12, Chapter 1, Revised Criminal Statutes of Texas; making certain exemptions; saving to the State the right to prosecute for violation prior to the repeal of these Articles; providing that if any particular Section or part of this Act is held unconstitutional or inoperative, such defect shall not affect any other Section or part of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Mr. Pevehouse asked unanimous consent to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 904.

There was no objection offered.

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Pevehouse:

H. B. No. 904, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that all counties within this State, having a population in excess of fifty thousand inhabitants, may, upon an order being made by its Commissioners Court for this purpose, provide for and maintain a county law library; providing for the funds for said library; granting to said Court all necessary power and authority to make this Act effective; providing that said Act shall be

cumulative, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Counties.

Mr. Kinard asked unanimous consent, to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 905.

There was no objection offered.

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Kinard:

H. B. No. 905, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 923r and 923rr of the Penal Code of the State of Texas of 1925, so that it shall be unlawful for any person to trap or set a trap or deadfall on the inclosed or uninclused land of another without the consent or permission of the owner of said land, and so that it shall be unlawful for any person, at any time, to trap or kill upon the posted or inclosed or uninclused land of another, or be in possession of a muskrat or other fur bearing animal or the hide of such animal, taken from such land, without the consent of the owner or lessee of such land; providing a penalty, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

CERTAIN CORRECTION AUTHORIZED IN HOUSE BILL NO. 266

On motion of Mr. Brown of Cherokee, and by unanimous consent of the House, the Enrolling Clerk of the House was authorized to make certain correction in House Bill No. 266.

BILLS RE-REFERRED

Mr. White moved that House Bill No. 525 be withdrawn from the Committee on Revenue and Taxation and referred to the Committee on Education.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—81

Allen	Bridgers
Bailey	Brown
Baker of Grayson	of Nacogdoches
Bell	Burkett
Blankenship	Burney
Boyd	Cauthorn
Bradbury	Chambers

Cleveland	Lehman
Cockrell	Lock
Coleman	London
Cornett	McDaniel
Corry	McNamara
Crossley	Mohrmann
Davis of Jasper	Montgomery
Davis of Upshur	Morris
Derden	Newell
Dickison	Oliver
Dickson	Pevehouse
Faulkner	Piner
Ferguson	Ragsdale
Fuchs	Reader of Erath
Galbreath	Reaves
Gordon, Mrs.	Roach
Hale	Roberts
Hamilton	Robinson
Hardeman	Russell
Hardin	Skiles
Harp	Smith of Frio
Harper	Spencer
Harrell of Bastrop	Stoll
Heflin	Tarwater
Holland	Thornberry
Howington	Voigt
Hunt	Waggoner
Isaacks	Weldon
Kennedy	Wells
Kern	Westbrook
Kerr	White
Kersey	Wilson
King	Winfree
Langdon	Wright

Nays—52

Allison	McDonald
Alsup	McFarland
Bond	McMurry
Boyer	Monkhouse
Bradford	Nicholson
Bray	Pace
Broadfoot	Petsch
Bundy	Pope
Celaya	Reader of Bexar
Clark	Reed
Colson, Mrs.	Rhodes
Daniel	Riviere
Dean	Schuenemann
Donaghey	Segrist
Felty	Shell
Fielden	Smith of Hopkins
Gilmer	Smith
Hankamer	of Matagorda
Harris	Stinson
Hartzog	Talbert
Howard	Taylor
Johnson of Tarrant	Tennant
Kinard	Thornton
Leonard	Vale
Leyendecker	Wood
Mays	Worley
McAlister	

Absent

Anderson	Harrell of Lamar
Baker	Hull
of Fort Bend	Johnson of Ellis
Brown of Cherokee	Little
Colquitt	Loggins
Dwyer	Turner
Goodman	Vint

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Keith
--------	-------

Mr. Alsup moved that House Bill No. 678 be withdrawn from the Committee on Oil, Gas and Mining and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

The motion prevailed.

(Mr. Thornton in the Chair.)

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, March 23, 1939.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House the Senate has adopted the following:

S. C. R. No. 25, Authorizing the State Highway Department to loan to the City of Somerville certain paving equipment.

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,

Secretary of the Senate.

(Speaker in the Chair.)

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, March 23, 1939.

Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House the Senate has passed the following:

H. C. R. No. 14, Relative to the employment of both man and wife in State Departments. (With amendments.)

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,

Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS TO SUSPEND CERTAIN RULES

Mr. Worley moved that the House Rule, relative to Members of the House addressing the House on personal privilege, be suspended, and that no Member be recognized to speak on personal privilege until House Joint

Resolution No. 16 has been disposed of.

The motion to suspend the rule was lost.

Mr. Smith of Matagorda moved that the House Rule, relative to Members of the House addressing the House on personal privilege, be suspended, and that all personal privilege addresses to dispensed with.

The motion to suspend the rule was lost.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16 ON PASSAGE TO ENGROSSMENT

Mr. Alsup moved that the necessary Rules be suspended and that the House take up for consideration, at this time, House Joint Resolution No. 16.

The motion prevailed.

The Speaker then laid before the House,

H. J. R. No. 16, Proposing an amendment to Section 51b of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, giving the Legislature power by General Laws to provide for the payment of old age assistance subject to certain limitations, and fixing the qualifications of recipients of old age assistance and fixing the maximum amount of assistance which may be granted by the State, and providing old age assistance shall not be paid except to persons who are in need and otherwise qualified to receive such assistance; defining the word "need;" providing that old age assistance shall not be construed as a vested right in recipients of old age assistance; providing for authority to accept aid from the Government of the United States for old age assistance; levying and providing for the collection of a transaction tax of one and six-tenths (1.6%) per cent on the amount of actual value passing by each transaction and providing for the payment of such tax, and providing that where the amount of value which passes by a transaction is fixed by law, the tax of one and six-tenths (1.6%) per cent of such value shall be collected on the last transaction only; defining the words "value," "person" and "transaction" as used in such amendment, etc.

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, with committee amendment No. 1, by Mr. Petsch, amendment by Mr. Brown of Cherokee, to the committee amendment,

and substitute amendment, by Mr. Wood, for the amendment by Mr. Brown of Cherokee, pending.

Mr. Alsup moved the previous question, on the pending amendments, the committee amendment, and the passage of House Joint Resolution No. 16 to engrossment, and the motion was duly seconded.

Question recurring on the motion for the main question, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—90

Allison	Hunt
Alsup	Johnson of Ellis
Baker	Johnson of Tarrant
of Fort Bend	Kennedy
Blankenship	Kern
Bond	Kersey
Boyer	Kinard
Bradbury	Lehman
Bradford	Leonard
Bray	Little
Broadfoot	Lock
Brown of Cherokee	Loggins
Bundy	Mays
Burkett	McAlister
Cauthorn	McDaniel
Celaya	McDonald
Chambers	McFarland
Clark	McMurry
Cleveland	Monkhouse
Cockrell	Montgomery
Colquitt	Nicholson
Colson, Mrs.	Oliver
Cornett	Pace
Crossley	Ragsdale
Daniel	Reader of Bexar
Dean	Reader of Erath
Derden	Reaves
Dickson	Rhodes
Donaghey	Riviere
Faulkner	Roach
Felty	Roberts
Ferguson	Schuenemann
Fielden	Shell
Fuchs	Skiles
Gilmer	Smith of Hopkins
Goodman	Spencer
Hamilton	Taylor
Hankamer	Tennant
Hardin	Thornton
Harper	Turner
Harrell of Lamar	Vale
Hartzog	Voigt
Heflin	Weldon
Howard	Wilson
Howington	Worley
Hull	

Nays—49

Allen	Mohrmann
Bailey	Morris
Baker of Grayson	Newell
Bell	Petsch
Boyd	Pevehouse
Brown	Piner
of Nacogdoches	Reed
Burney	Robinson
Coleman	Russell
Davis of Jasper	Segrist
Davis of Upshur	Smith of Frio
Dickison	Smith
Dwyer	of Matagorda
Galbreath	Stinson
Hale	Stoll
Hardeman	Talbert
Harp	Thornberry
Harrell of Bastrop	Vint
Harris	Waggoner
Holland	Wells
Isaacks	Westbrook
Kerr	White
King	Winfree
Langdon	Wood
London	Wright
McNamara	

Absent

Anderson	Leyendecker
Bridgers	Pope
Corry	Tarwater
Gordon, Mrs.	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Keith
--------	-------

Mr. Petsch moved a call of the House, until House Joint Resolution No. 16 is disposed of, and the call was duly ordered.

On motion of Mr. Fielden, the Sergeant-at-Arms was instructed to bring in all absent Members within the city who are not ill.

The roll of the House was called, and the following Members were present:

Allen	Bradford
Allison	Bray
Alsup	Bridgers
Anderson	Broadfoot
Bailey	Brown of Cherokee
Baker	Brown
of Fort Bend	of Nacogdoches
Baker of Grayson	Bundy
Bell	Burkett
Blankenship	Burney
Bond	Cauthorn
Boyd	Celaya
Boyer	Chambers
Bradbury	Clark

Cleveland	McAlister
Cockrell	McDaniel
Coleman	McDonald
Colquitt	McFarland
Colson, Mrs.	McMurry
Cornett	McNamara
Corry	Mohrmann
Crossley	Monkhouse
Daniel	Montgomery
Davis of Jasper	Morris
Davis of Upshur	Newell
Dean	Nicholson
Derden	Oliver
Dickison	Pace
Dickson	Petsch
Donaghey	Pevehouse
Dwyer	Piner
Faulkner	Pope
Felty	Ragsdale
Ferguson	Reader of Bexar
Fielden	Reader of Erath
Fuchs	Reaves
Galbreath	Reed
Gilmer	Rhodes
Goodman	Riviere
Gordon, Mrs.	Roach
Hale	Roberts
Hamilton	Robinson
Hankamer	Russell
Hardeman	Schuenemann
Hardin	Segrist
Harp	Shell
Harper	Skiles
Harrell of Bastrop	Smith of Frio
Harrell of Lamar	Smith of Hopkins
Harris	Smith
Hartzog	of Matagorda
Heflin	Spencer
Holland	Stinson
Howard	Stoll
Howington	Talbert
Hull	Tarwater
Hunt	Taylor
Isaacks	Tennant
Johnson of Ellis	Thornberry
Johnson of Tarrant	Thornton
Kennedy	Turner
Kern	Vale
Kerr	Vint
Kersey	Voigt
Kinard	Waggoner
King	Weldon
Langdon	Wells
Lehman	Westbrook
Leonard	White
Leyendecker	Wilson
Little	Winfree
Lock	Wood
Loggins	Worley
London	Wright
Mays	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Keith
--------	-------

(Pending consideration of the amendments, Mr. Howard occupied the Chair, temporarily.)

(Speaker in the Chair.)

Question first recurring on the substitute amendment by Mr. Wood, it was lost.

Question then recurring on the amendment by Mr. Brown of Cherokee, to committee amendment No. 1, it was lost.

Question then recurring on committee amendment No. 1, as amended, yeas and nays were demanded.

The committee amendment, as amended, was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—98

Allison	Harrell of Lamar
Alsup	Harris
Anderson	Hartzog
Bailey	Howard
Bell	Howington
Blankenship	Hull
Bond	Hunt
Boyd	Johnson of Ellis
Boyer	Johnson of Tarrant
Bradbury	Kennedy
Bradford	Kern
Bray	Kersey
Broadfoot	Kinard
Brown of Cherokee	Lehman
Bundy	Leonard
Burkett	Leyendecker
Cauthorn	Little
Celaya	Loggins
Chambers	Mays
Clark	McAlister
Cleveland	McDonald
Cockrell	McFarland
Colquitt	McMurry
Colson, Mrs.	Mohrmann
Corry	Monkhouse
Crossley	Nicholson
Daniel	Oliver
Davis of Jasper	Pace
Dean	Petsch
Dickson	Reader of Bexar
Donaghey	Reader of Erath
Faulkner	Reaves
Ferguson	Rhodes
Fielden	Roach
Fuchs	Roberts
Gilmer	Schuenemann
Goodman	Segrist
Hale	Skiles
Hamilton	Smith of Frio
Hankamer	Smith of Hopkins
Hardin	Spencer
Harp	Stinson
Harper	Talbert

Taylor	Voigt
Tennant	Westbrook
Thornberry	Wilson
Thornton	Winfree
Turner	Worley
Vale	Wright

Nays—45

Allen	Lock
Baker of Grayson	London
Baker	McDaniel
of Fort Bend	McNamara
Bridgers	Montgomery
Brown	Morris
of Nacogdoches	Newell
Burney	Pevehouse
Coleman	Piner
Cornett	Pope
Davis of Upshur	Reed
Derden	Riviere
Dickison	Robinson
Felty	Russell
Galbreath	Smith
Gordon, Mrs.	of Matagorda
Hardeman	Stoll
Harrell of Bastrop	Tarwater
Heflin	Vint
Holland	Waggoner
Isaacks	Weldon
Kerr	Wells
King	White
Langdon	Wood

Absent

Dwyer	Shell
Ragsdale	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Keith
--------	-------

REASON FOR VOTE

I voted "no" on this measure because I do not believe we should resort to the sales tax as our first effort to raise money for social security purposes. I am opposed to the sales tax and would be willing to vote for it only after exhausting all other methods first. It is my desire to take care of the aged people of this State, but I am not willing to tax at the very outset those least able to pay. I believe the wage earners, those who suffer most under a sales tax, ought to be protected.

RIVIERE.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the resolution was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the resolution.

House Joint Resolution No. 16 was then passed to engrossment by the following vote:

Yeas—79

Allison	Hartzog
Alsup	Howard
Anderson	Howington
Bailey	Hull
Blankenship	Johnson of Ellis
Bond	Johnson of Tarrant
Boyer	Kennedy
Bradbury	Kersey
Bradford	Kinard
Bray	Lehman
Broadfoot	Leonard
Brown of Cherokee	Little
Bundy	Loggins
Burkett	Mays
Celaya	McAlister
Chambers	McDonald
Clark	McFarland
Cleveland	McMurry
Cockrell	Monkhouse
Coleman	Nicholson
Colquitt	Oliver
Colson, Mrs.	Pace
Corry	Petsch
Crossley	Rhodes
Daniel	Roberts
Davis of Jasper	Schuenemann
Dean	Shell
Dickson	Smith of Hopkins
Donaghey	Spencer
Faulkner	Talbert
Fielden	Taylor
Gilmer	Tennant
Goodman	Thornton
Hamilton	Turner
Hankamer	Vale
Hardin	Voigt
Harp	Wilson
Harper	Worley
Harrell of Lamar	Wright
Harris	

Nays—67

Allen	Ferguson
Baker	Fuchs
of Fort Bend	Galbreath
Baker of Grayson	Gordon, Mrs.
Bell	Hale
Boyd	Hardeman
Bridgers	Harrell of Bastrop
Brown	Heflin
of Nacogdoches	Holland
Burney	Hunt
Cauthorn	Isaacks
Cornett	Kern
Davis of Upshur	Kerr
Derden	King
Dickison	Langdon
Dwyer	Leyendecker
Felty	Lock

London	Russell
McDaniel	Segrist
McNamara	Skiles
Mohrmann	Smith of Frio
Montgomery	Smith
Morris	of Matagorda
Newell	Stinson
Pevehouse	Stoll
Piner	Tarwater
Pope	Thornberry
Ragsdale	Vint
Reader of Bexar	Waggoner
Reader of Erath	Weldon
Reaves	Wells
Reed	Westbrook
Riviere	White
Roach	Winfree
Robinson	Wood

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Keith
--------	-------

Mr. Thornton moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution was passed to engrossment, and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

REASONS FOR VOTE

I voted "no" on House Joint Resolution No. 16 because I wanted to delay passage long enough to give the House time to consider the many other tax measures pending in committee and on the calendar. I believe that it is only fair that we should consider all proposals before we pass favorably on any particular one.

HALE.

I favor a liberal pension and adequate revenue to pay it but I voted against House Joint Resolution No. 16 because I am opposed to a sales tax.

LOCK.

I voted "no" on House Joint Resolution No. 16, for I do not believe inflexible laws should be written into the Constitution, preventing future Legislatures correcting this Legislature's mistakes, or changing laws to meet changing conditions. To this end I prepared the following amendment, a memorandum of which has been on the Speaker's desk:

"To amend committee amendment No. 1 to House Joint Resolution No. 16, page 7, line 5, by striking out all after the semi-colon and all of lines 6 through and including line 17, and insert in lieu thereof, the following:

"Provided the Legislature may at any subsequent session after the adop-

tion of this amendment, decrease the amount of the various taxes herein prescribed, and whenever it finds that necessity for such taxes no longer exists, the Legislature by majority vote of both Houses may completely suspend the operation of any such taxes.

HOLLAND,
LEYENDECKER,
BRIDGERS,
McNAMARA,
LANGDON,
BOYD,
GORDON, MRS."

I have always supported old age pensions but with the National Congress at this time giving major attention to this Country's place in the international scene, it seems unwise to raise our tax structure to the breaking point by a sales tax which cannot be relaxed. Mr. Petsch, author of the resolution, has an R. O. T. C. bill on the calendar, arguments for which, before the committee, were that we should be prepared in case of war. Speakers expressed fear war might come, and urged the R. O. T. C. bill in preparedness. If their argument should become real and youth march to war, the aged would cease to be the focal point of public attention. We should be permitted to relax such provisions, and to have liberties of legislative action as prescribed by still other amendments cut off by the previous question.

The "self-determination" provided by popular vote on the amendment is akin to the self-determination of European totalitarian states, once determined, no other determination by majority vote might be exercised, practically speaking.

HOLLAND,
GORDON, MRS.,
BRIDGERS,
ISAACKS,
LEYENDECKER.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, March 23, 1939.
Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House the Senate has passed the following:

H. B. No. 11, A bill to be entitled "An Act appropriating the sum of One Million, Ninety-five Thousand (\$1,095,000.00) Dollars as a supplement to

the equalization appropriation for the biennium as passed by the Forty-fifth Legislature provided no school shall benefit hereunder that has paid its public funds to any person for securing legislative aid; providing the funds herein appropriated are to be expended in accordance with the provisions of this Act; providing the funds herein appropriated are to be prorated on percentage basis to those schools having had payments made on a percentage basis, to make the grants of teacher's salaries, of high school tuition, and of transportation, and of vocational aid, each as nearly as possible one hundred (100%) per cent; providing no school shall receive reimbursement which was not approved by payment at the end of the 1937-38 fiscal year; providing a penalty for violating the provisions of this Act, etc., and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 802, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating proceedings heretofore had by certain cities in Texas, other than home-rule cities, for the issuance of revenue bonds and ad valorem tax bonds for the purpose of procuring funds to construct waterworks and sewer systems for such cities, validating the bonds to be issued pursuant to such proceedings and the indentures executed and to be executed as a security for such bonds, authorizing the adoption of the proceedings necessary to complete the issuance of such bonds, validating proceedings had in the incorporation of such cities, providing the manner in which the assessed valuation of taxable property may be determined in such of said cities as have not heretofore levied taxes, repealing all conflicts thereto, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,
Secretary of the Senate.

MOTION TO SUSPEND CERTAIN RULE

Mr. Morris moved that Sections 4 and 5 of Rule IX of the House Rules be suspended for the purpose of making a motion that House Bill No. 340 be printed and placed on the calendar for consideration.

The roll of the House was called on the motion to suspend the rule, and the vote announced, as follows—Yeas, 88; Nays, 53.

A verification of the vote was requested.

The roll of the "yeas" and "nays" was again called and the verified vote resulted, as follows:

Yeas—91

Allen	Kerr
Allison	Kersey
Bailey	King
Baker	Langdon
of Fort Bend	Leyendecker
Baker of Grayson	Lock
Bell	London
Boyd	McDaniel
Bradbury	McDonald
Bridgers	McNamara
Broadfoot	Mohrmann
Brown of Cherokee	Montgomery
Brown	Morris
of Nacogdoches	Newell
Burney	Oliver
Cauthorn	Pace
Chambers	Pevehouse
Cockrell	Piner
Coleman	Reader of Bexar
Cornett	Reader of Erath
Davis of Jasper	Reaves
Davis of Upshur	Riviere
Derden	Roach
Dickison	Roberts
Dwyer	Robinson
Faulkner	Russell
Felty	Skiles
Ferguson	Smith of Frio
Fuchs	Smith of Hopkins
Galbreath	Spencer
Gilmer	Stoll
Gordon, Mrs.	Tarwater
Hale	Thornberry
Hamilton	Turner
Hardeman	Vint
Harp	Voigt
Harper	Waggoner
Harrell of Bastrop	Weldon
Harrell of Lamar	Wells
Heflin	Westbrook
Holland	White
Howington	Wilson
Hunt	Winfree
Isaacks	Wood
Johnson of Ellis	Worley
Kennedy	Wright
Kern	

Nays—48

Blankenship	Celaya
Bond	Clark
Boyer	Colquitt
Bradford	Corry
Bray	Crossley
Bundy	Dean
Burkett	Dickson

Donaghey	McMurry
Fielden	Monkhouse
Goodman	Nicholson
Hankamer	Petsch
Hardin	Pope
Harris	Reed
Hartzog	Rhodes
Howard	Schuenemann
Hull	Segrist
Johnson of Tarrant	Shell
Kinard	Smith
Lehman	of Matagorda
Leonard	Stinson
Little	Taylor
Loggins	Tennant
Mays	Thornton
McAlister	Vale
McFarland	

Absent

Alsup	Daniel
Anderson	Ragsdale
Cleveland	Talbert
Colson, Mrs.	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Keith
--------	-------

The Speaker announced that the motion to suspend the Rule was lost (not receiving the necessary two-thirds vote).

Mr. Cornett moved that Sections 4 and 5 of Rule IX of the House Rules be suspended for the purpose of making a motion that House Bill No. 651 be printed and placed on the calendar for consideration.

The motion to suspend the rule was lost by the following vote (not receiving the necessary two-thirds vote).

Yeas—75

Allen	Faulkner
Bailey	Ferguson
Baker	Fielden
of Fort Bend	Fuchs
Baker of Grayson	Galbreath
Bell	Gordon, Mrs.
Boyd	Hale
Bradbury	Hardeman
Bridgers	Hardin
Brown of Cherokee	Harp
Brown	Harrell of Bastrop
of Nacogdoches	Harrell of Lamar
Burney	Heflin
Chambers	Holland
Cockrell	Howington
Coleman	Hunt
Cornett	Isaacks
Corry	Johnson of Ellis
Davis of Upshur	Kennedy
Derden	Kern

Kerr	Robinson
King	Russell
Langdon	Skiles
Lehman	Smith of Frio
Leyendecker	Smith of Hopkins
Lock	Smith
Loggins	of Matagorda
London	Spencer
McDaniel	Stoll
McNamara	Tarwater
Mohrmann	Thornberry
Morris	Turner
Newell	Vint
Oliver	Weldon
Reader of Erath	Wells
Reaves	Westbrook
Riviere	White
Roach	Wilson
Roberts	Worley

Nays—66

Allison	Kersey
Alsup	Kinard
Anderson	Leonard
Blankenship	Little
Bond	Mays
Boyer	McAlister
Bradford	McDonald
Bray	McFarland
Broadfoot	McMurry
Bundy	Monkhouse
Burkett	Montgomery
Cauthorn	Nicholson
Celaya	Pace
Clark	Petsch
Colquitt	Pevehouse
Colson, Mrs.	Pope
Crossley	Reader of Bexar
Dean	Reed
Dickison	Rhodes
Dickson	Schuenemann
Donaghey	Segrist
Dwyer	Shell
Felty	Stinson
Gilmer	Talbert
Goodman	Taylor
Hamilton	Tennant
Hankamer	Thornton
Harper	Vale
Harris	Voigt
Hartzog	Waggoner
Howard	Winfree
Hull	Wood
Johnson of Tarrant	Wright

Absent

Cleveland	Piner
Daniel	Ragsdale
Davis of Jasper	

Absent—Excused

Dowell	Keith
--------	-------

EXTENDING SYMPATHY OF THE
HOUSE TO HON. MAURICE
DOWELL

Mr. Mohrmann offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 183, Extending sympathy of the House to Hon. Maurice Dowell.

Whereas, Our fellow Member, the Hon. Maurice Dowell, is ill and has undergone an operation for appendicitis at the Seton Infirmary here in Austin; and

Whereas, We deeply regret his illness and inability to be present, and wish for him a speedy recovery; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the Chief Clerk of the House be instructed to order appropriate flowers sent to Mr. Dowell at Seton Infirmary; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Hon. Maurice Dowell.

MOHRMANN.

The resolution was read second time.

Signed—Morse, Speaker; Allen, Allison, Alsup, Anderson, Bailey, Baker of Fort Bend, Baker of Grayson, Bell, Blankenship, Bond, Boyd, Boyer, Bradbury, Bradford, Bray, Bridgers, Broadfoot, Brown of Cherokee, Brown of Nacogdoches, Bundy, Burkett, Burney, Cauthorn, Celaya, Chambers, Clark, Cleveland, Cockrell, Coleman, Colquitt, Colson, Mrs., Cornett, Corry, Crossley, Daniel, Davis of Jasper, Davis of Upshur, Dean, Derden, Dickison, Dickson, Donaghey, Dwyer, Faulkner, Felty, Ferguson, Fielden, Fuchs, Galbreath, Gilmer, Goodman, Gordon, Mrs., Hale, Hamilton, Hankamer, Hardeman, Hardin, Harp, Harper, Harrell of Bastrop, Harrell of Lamar, Harris, Hartzog, Heflin, Holland, Howard, Howington, Hull, Hunt, Isaacks, Johnson of Ellis, Johnson of Tarrant, Keith, Kennedy, Kern, Kerr, Kersey, Kinard, King, Langdon, Lehman, Leonard, Leyendecker, Little, Lock, Loggins, London, Mays, McAlister, McDaniel, McDonald, McFarland, McMurry, McNamara, Monkhouse, Montgomery, Morris, Newell, Nicholson, Oliver, Pace, Petsch, Pevehouse, Piner, Pope, Ragsdale, Reader of Bexar, Reader of Erath, Reaves, Reed, Rhodes, Riviere, Roach, Roberts, Robinson, Russell, Schuenemann, Segrist, Shell, Skiles, Smith of Frio,

Smith of Hopkins, Smith of Matagorda, Spencer, Stinson, Stoll, Talbert, Tarwater, Taylor, Tennant, Thornberry, Thornton, Turner, Vale, Vint, Voigt, Waggoner, Weldon, Wells, Westbrook, White, Wilson, Winfree, Wood, Worley and Wright.

On motion of Mr. Felty, the names of all the Members of the House were added to the resolution, as signers thereof.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

AUTHORIZING CERTAIN CORRECTION IN HOUSE BILL NO. 660

Mr. Tennant offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 65, Authorizing certain correction in House Bill No. 660.

Whereas, House Bill No. 660 has passed the House and Senate; and

Whereas, Said House Bill No. 660 contains a typographical error; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the Enrolling Clerk of the House be authorized and directed to strike out the words "or any subsequent Federal Census" wherever same occurs in both the body and the caption of the bill.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

AUTHORIZING CERTAIN CORRECTION IN HOUSE BILL NO. 266

Mr. Brown of Cherokee offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 66, Authorizing certain correction in House Bill No. 266.

Whereas, House Bill No. 266, being a bill affecting only the 2nd Judicial District, has finally passed the House of Representatives and the Senate; and

Whereas, Said bill as passed has certain typographical errors in the body of said bill and inadvertently contains a part of the caption in the body of the bill; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the Enrolling Clerk of the House be instructed to strike from said body of the bill said superfluous matter and insert certain corrective matter

and that said Enrolling Clerk be further instructed to correctly number certain Sections and Subsections of said bill.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

PROVIDING FOR THE COMPILING OF A LIST OF MEMBERS WHO HAVE SERVED IN TEXAS LEGISLATURES

Mr. Little offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 180, Providing for certain legislative record.

Whereas, The Legislature of the State of Texas, as organized at the beginning of State-hood, provided for biennial sessions thereof; and

Whereas, The mode and manner of electing Representatives is fully set out in the Constitution; and

Whereas, There has been more than ninety years since the first Legislature and many distinguished citizens of Texas have served in such body in the various sessions thereof; and

Whereas, There is now no accurate or systematic method of determining who the Members of such Legislature were in any former session, it is highly desirable and a worthwhile historical advance for the Legislature to determine and compile an accurate list of the persons comprising the membership of the Legislature, from the First Session of such Legislature, down to the Forty-sixth Legislature inclusive; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, without extra cost and expense, be authorized and instructed to compile an accurate and complete list of the names, district numbers and place of residence of all Members of the Legislature, from the First Session thereof, to the Forty-sixth Session inclusive; be it further

Resolved, That in compiling said list the Chief Clerk arrange the list according to districts and alphabetically, so as that said list show the session or sessions in which such Members served, and the same shall be properly indexed so as to make such information as contained therein readily and conveniently accessible, and shall cause to be recorded such list in some manner as to make same

permanent and available to the public, and it so resolved.

LITTLE,
SMITH of Frio,
GORDON, MRS.,
WRIGHT,
BOYER,
HARP,
POPE,
BOYD,
READER of Bexar,
TALBERT,
KINARD,
DEAN,
HARRIS,
MONTGOMERY,
ISAACKS,
DAVIS of Upshur,
ALSUP,
THORNTON,
HARDIN,
BRADFORD,
CLARK,
COLSON, MRS.,
TAYLOR,
WAGGONER,
COLEMAN.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

TO REQUEST CERTAIN INFORMATION OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD

Mr. Worley offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 182, To request certain information of the Social Security Board.

Whereas, At the present time there are several proposed changes in the Old Age Assistance Law of Texas; and

Whereas, It is a known fact that unless the Old Age Assistance Laws of the several States conform to the requirements laid down by the Federal Government through the Social Security Board, then such State will be precluded from accepting matching grants from the Federal Government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the Social Security Board be forwarded a copy of the proposed constitutional amendment, House Joint Resolution No. 16, making certain changes in the present Old Age Assistance Law, to determine whether such changes will be acceptable to the rules and regulations of

the Federal Government so that the State of Texas may secure the maximum grants from such source; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to Mr. Oscar M. Powell, Executive Director of the Social Security Board, with the urgent request the proposed changes be carefully examined and an answer of record be given the House of Representatives so that intelligent action can be taken by the Legislature.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

AUTHORIZING THE LOAN OF CERTAIN HIGHWAY EQUIPMENT

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration, at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 22, Authorizing the loan of certain highway equipment.

Whereas, The State Highway Department of Texas has a large quantity of discarded guard wire in Wilbarger County; and

Whereas, The City of Vernon and Vernon Independent School District and Wilbarger County anticipates a large number of people attending county school meets to be held in the early summer of this year; and

Whereas, It will be necessary and important to said School District to fence the grounds where said meet will be held; and

Whereas, It would be a great accommodation to said School District if the State Highway Department were permitted to loan said District the discarded wire hereinabove mentioned for the purpose of fencing the grounds; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That the State Highway Department of Texas be authorized to loan to the School Board of Vernon Independent School District sufficient quantities of the discarded wire hereinabove mentioned for the purposes as hereinabove set out, said School Board to return wire upon request of the State Highway Department, and it is so resolved.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Hardin called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. C. R. No. 14, Concerning employees of the State of Texas.

The Speaker laid the resolution before the House, with the Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Hardin, the House concurred in the Senate amendments.

NOTICE GIVEN

Mr. Tennant gave notice, that he would, on the next legislative day, move to take up, for consideration, at that time, House Bill No. 18, which bill was heretofore laid on the table, subject to call.

BILLS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and their captions had been read severally, the following enrolled bills:

H. B. No. 430, "An Act ratifying and confirming, subject to the consent and approval of the Congress of the United States, an agreement and compact between the States of New Mexico and Texas, pertaining to the construction and maintenance of the Alamogordo Reservoir upon the Pecos River in the State of New Mexico, and providing for agreement on the part of the State of New Mexico pertaining to the use of the waters of the Pecos River, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 607, "An Act amending House Bill No. 72, Chapter 39, page 83, Section 4 of the General and Special Laws of the Forty-second Legislature, First Called Session, 1931; providing for manner of paying salaries for Rural School Supervisors in Van Zandt County, and declaring an emergency."

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. Lock, the House, at 1:45 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 10:00 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills, as follows:

Game and Fisheries: House Bills Nos. 894, 889, 884, 869, 845, 840 and 84.

Revenue and Taxation: House Bill No. 243.

Oil, Gas and Mining: House Bill No. 792.

Agriculture: House Bills Nos. 397 and 888.

Insurance: House Bill No. 514.

Counties: House Bills Nos. 824, 823, 874 and 822.

The Committee on Revenue and Taxation filed adverse reports on House Bills Nos. 651, 417 and 340.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 23, 1939.
Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 65, Authorizing the Enrolling clerk to correct House Bill No. 660.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, March 23, 1939.
Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 66, Authorizing the Enrolling Clerk to correct House Bill No. 266.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Austin, Texas, March 23, 1939.
Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 430, "An Act ratifying and confirming, subject to the consent

and approval of the Congress of the United States, an agreement and compact between the States of New Mexico and Texas, pertaining to the construction and maintenance of the Alamogordo Reservoir upon the Pecos River in the State of New Mexico pertaining to the use of the waters of the Pecos River, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HAMILTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, March 23, 1939.
Hon. R. Emmett Morse, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 607, "An Act amending

House Bill No. 72, Chapter 39, page 83, Section 4 of the General and Special Laws of the Forty-second Legislature, First Called Session, 1931; providing for manner of paying salaries for rural school supervisors in Van Zandt County, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HAMILTON, Chairman.

SENT TO THE GOVERNOR

March 23, 1939

House Bill No. 607.

House Bill No. 430.

In Memory of Honorable Bailey W. Hardy

Mr. Boyd offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 181, In memory of Honorable Bailey W. Hardy.

Whereas, On the 22nd day of March, A. D., 1939, Bailey W. Hardy was called to his reward and from the ranks of the mortals, after having spent a good and serviceable life upon this earth. He was forty-three years of age, and served his State as a Member of the Forty-first and Forty-second Legislatures, representing the 108th District; and

Whereas, Bailey W. Hardy was an honored and valuable citizen of the State of Texas, and his death is recognized as a distinct loss to all the citizenry of this great State, for his genial personality, his able counsel and fair and impartial dealing with all men both high and low, will remain only as a memory and a guidepost for those who shared his friendship; and

Whereas, His devotion to the University of Texas, and the students of that great institution, has encouraged many young men and women to further their education and to participate in the activities thereof, which will make of them better citizens; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That upon adjournment today, the House of Representatives of the Forty-sixth Legislature do so adjourn in honor of Honorable Bailey W. Hardy, expressing our sincere sympathy to his bereaved family; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the memorial pages of the House Journal of this day, and that the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives send a copy of this resolution to the members of the family: Mrs. Bailey W. Hardy, Mrs. W. R. Blair, Jr., and Honorable D. Heywood Hardy.

BOYD,
THORNBERRY,
CLARK,
BURKETT,

KING,
HANKAMER,
MORSE,
FUCHS,
READER of Bexar.

The resolution was read second time.

Signed—Allen, Allison, Alsup, Anderson, Bailey, Baker of Fort Bend, Baker of Grayson, Bell, Blankenship, Bond, Boyer, Bradbury, Bradford, Bray, Bridgers, Broadfoot, Brown of Cherokee, Brown of Nacogdoches, Bundy, Burney, Cauthorn, Celaya, Chambers, Cleveland, Cockrell, Coleman, Colquitt, Mrs. Colson, Cornett, Corry, Crossley, Daniel, Davis of Jasper, Davis of Upshur, Dean, Derden, Dickison, Dickson, Donaghey, Dowell, Dwyer, Faulkner, Felty, Ferguson, Fielden, Galbreath, Gilmer, Goodman, Mrs. Gordon, Hale, Hamilton, Hardeman, Hardin, Harp, Harper, Harrell of Bastrop, Harrell of Lamar, Harris, Hartzog, Heflin, Holland, Howard, Howington, Hull, Hunt, Isaacks, Johnson of Ellis, Johnson of Tarrant, Keith, Kennedy, Kern, Kerr, Kersey, Kinard, Langdon, Lehman, Leonard, Leyendecker, Little, Lock, Loggins, London, Mays, McAlister, McDaniel, McDonald, McFarland, McMurry, McNamara, Mohrmann, Monkhouse, Montgomery, Morris, Newell, Nicholson, Oliver, Pace, Petsch, Pevehouse, Piner, Pope, Ragsdale, Reader of Erath, Reaves, Reed, Rhodes, Riviere, Roach, Roberts, Robinson, Russell, Schuenemann, Segrist, Shell, Skiles, Smith of Frio, Smith of Hopkins, Smith of Matagorda, Spencer, Stinson, Stoll, Talbert, Tarwater, Taylor, Tennant, Thornton, Turner, Vale, Vint, Voigt, Waggoner, Weldon, Wells, Westbrook, White, Wilson, Winfree, Wood, Worley and Wright.

On motion of Mr. Goodman, the names of all the Members of the House were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.